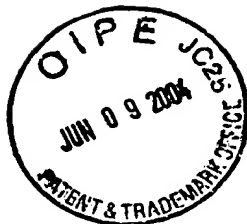


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In re Application of

Kenji SHIBATA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/558,588

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Examiner: Wille, Douglas A.

For: LED OF AlGaInP SYSTEM AND EPITAXIAL WAFER USED FOR SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed December 9, 2003. Our check in the amount of \$950.00 to cover extension fee is attached hereto. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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